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Enclosed for filing is the patent application of Inventor(s):

JACOBUS JOSEPHUS MARIA RUIGROK

For: **METHOD AND DEVICE FOR HIGH-SPEED MAGNETIC RECORDING**

**ENCLOSED ARE:**

- ☒ Associate Power of Attorney;  
☒ Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and copies of documents listed therein;  
☐ Preliminary Amendment;  
☒ Specification (13 Pages of Specification, Claims, & Abstract);  
☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney:  
(2 Pages of a ☐ fully executed ☒ unsigned Declaration);  
☒ Drawing (4 sheets of ☒ informal ☐ formal sheets);  
☐ Certified copy of application Serial No. ;  
☒ Other: AUTHORIZATION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.136(a)(3);  
☐ Assignment to

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**FEE COMPUTATION**

CLAIMS AS FILED				
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	BASIC FEE - \$740.00
Total Claims	7 - 20 =	0	X \$18 =	0.00
Independent Claims	3 - 3 =	0	X \$84 =	0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims, if any			\$280 =	0.00
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☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: This is a continuation-in-part of application Serial No. , filed .

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APPOINTMENT OF ASSOCIATES

Sir:

The undersigned Attorney of Record hereby revokes all prior appointments (if any) of Associate Attorney(s) or Agent(s) in the above-captioned case and appoints:

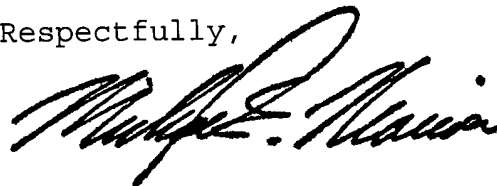
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c/o U.S. PHILIPS CORPORATION, Intellectual Property Department, 345 Scarborough Road, Briarcliff Manor, New York 10510, his Associate Attorney(s)/Agent(s) with all the usual powers to prosecute the above-identified application and any division or continuation thereof, to make alterations and amendments therein, and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

ALL CORRESPONDENCE CONCERNING THIS APPLICATION AND THE LETTERS PATENT WHEN GRANTED SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO THE UNDERSIGNED ATTORNEY OF RECORD.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael E. Marion", written in a cursive style.

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Dated at Tarrytown, New York  
on this 25<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2003.

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AND TO CHARGE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT

Sir:

The Commissioner is hereby requested and authorized to treat any concurrent or future reply in this application requiring a petition for extension of time for its timely submission, as incorporating a petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time.

Please charge any additional fees which may now or in the future be required in this application, including extension of time fees, but excluding the issue fee unless explicitly requested to do so, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 14-1270.

Respectfully submitted,

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